ANS Early Correspondence 1888

Extent: 53 items: 47 letters, 6 other documents.

Part of: American Numismatic Society, Early Correspondence, 1858-1908.

Noted Writers: Arthur R. Turnure, Grolier Club founder.

Main Correspondents: Henry Russell Drowne; Benjamin Betts; Daniel Parish, Jr.; Charles H. Wright; William Poillon; William R. Weeks.

Other Correspondents: H.W. Mansfield-Bullner; L. Bradford Prince; B. Savory, Rector, Great St. Bart's Church, London; Charles Pryer; David L. Walter; James E. Ware; F.D. Blake; E.B. Sterling; Charles Gregory; J. Frank Emmons; John Sherman; James Kirkwood; R.A. Caldwell; Arthur R. Turnure, Grolier Club; L.F. Drake; H.F. Geyer; P.B. Wyckoff; Robert C. Alexander; Bauman L. Belden; Charles E. West; Frank W. Doughty; William L. Stone; [W.N. Jennings, Stationary]; John T. Wainwright; Dr. Ferdinand Düemmler; Miss Rachel Barrington; Isaac Myer; J.W. De Peyster; John Bloodgood; Horace Edward Hayden; G.W.W. Dove; W.G. Jerrems, Jr.; Horatio R. Storer; George R. Drowne.

Noted Subjects: Bullner wonders how interested Americans are in Danish coins; Great St. Bart's Church in London wants preservation help from American archaeologists; Can one bring friends to ANS meetings? What does it mean to be a Resident Member of the ANS?; ANS considers renting rooms at The Grolier Club for future meetings, but eventually declines; After long years of service, Benjamin Betts resigns as ANS Treasurer; Results of the Membership Circulars are tallied.

Noted Documents:

- Proposals/Letters of New/Life/Corr. Members: L. Bradford Prince; Charles Gregory; James Kirkwood; H. W. Mansfield-Bullner; William L. Stone; Isaac Myer; W.G. Jerrems, Jr.; Horatio R. Storer; George R. Drowne.
- Member Resignation Letters: James E. Ware [1887]; J. Frank Emmons; John Sherman; R.A. Caldwell; W.J. Stillman; L.F. Drake [1887]; Charles E. West; John T. Wainwright; John Bloodgood; G.W.W. Dove; T.B. Brown [1887].
- ANS Member Obituaries/Deaths: Algernon Sullivan
- ANS Treasurer's Report [undated?] [not present] (last report from Bejamin Betts)

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- Bullner wonders how interested Americans are in Danish coins, as well as his own numismatic works [Jan. 4]
- The Rector of the Norman Priory Church of St. Bartholomew the Great (Great St. Bart's) in Smithfield, London wants help from American archaeologists in preserving the church [Jan. 14]
- ANS Curator's Report [Jan. 17] [not present]
- F.D. Blake would like to know if he can bring friends to ANS meetings? [Jan. 30]
- The Grolier Club have "suitable" rooms which the ANS can use for their future meetings [Feb. 24]
- W.J. Stillman's "snooty" letter of resignation [Mar. 7] [not present]
- L.F. Drake queries what it means to be a "Resident" Member of the ANS, and later resigns [Mar. 10/ May 5 [1887?]]
- Turnure asks that the ANS send notices of all their meetings, to be published in "Art Age" a new periodical of which he is editor [Apr. 21]
- Benjamin Betts resigns as ANS Treasurer [May 11]
- William R. Weeks declines the Treasurership [May 29]
- Weeks: Does not wish to serve on the Auditing Ctte. to undertake the examination of the Treasurer's books [June 7]
- ANS Curator's Report [Nov. 20]
- Poillon sends a memo presenting the results of the Membership Circulars [undated]

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MEMO OF RESULT OF CIRCULARS WM. POILLON

E. Mansfeldt-Gulbrandsen
Kjøbenhavn

Answered by
N. L. Rosen

Copenhagen, January 4th. 1888.

American numismatic and archaeological
Society.

New York.

Dear Sirs: —

Your acquittance for the receipt of my work: „Mønteninger af samtlige hidtil kjendte Danske Konger fra Tidsrummet 1241–1377" which I sended you are in my possession, but I should be glad also to receipt an answer from you on my inquiry, how far the from me drawed coins are to be find in American collections, how far there beyond the Atlantic are collectors of Danish coins and how far my work after all can have interest for American numismatologists.

Anticipating such informations,

I remain Dear Sirs,

Very faithfully Yours

E. Mansfeldt-Gulbrandsen

H. V. Mansfield Bullmer

Query –

Jany 4 – 1888

Ans –

REAL ESTATE TITLES,
AND
Spanish and Mexican Land Grants.

New York Office:
39 NASSAU STREET.

Office of
L. BRADFORD PRINCE.
(Late Chief Justice of New Mexico.)
SANTA FÉ, NEW MEXICO.

June 6 1888

Secretary of Am. Numis. Numis. & Archaeological Soc.:

Dear Sir:

Sometime last year I received the printed circular as to membership signed by the Exec. Com. but was then going very shortly to New Mexico & so did not reply.

I write now to say that I shall be glad to become a member.

All through my "teens" I was a collector of coins; and I have now by far the largest collection of absolutely unique stone idols ever found in the United States, none of which have ever been exhibited except the 75 which are now loaned to the Metropolitan Museum. I am carrying on these excavations constantly now.

Very truly Yours
L. Bradford Prince

L. Bradford Prince

Proposition for
Resident Membership
1/6/88

Elected Jany 17-1888

Hector Alliot, Grolier Club, request for pubs., January 11, 1887.

See 1887 for original.

Index lists it here, in 1888.

GROLIER CLUB
64 Madison Avenue.

New York, January 11,1887.

Dear Sir:--

I have to request that for reference you will kindly favor me with a copy of your constitution and by-laws. The amual Club Book of the Grolier Club is now preparing, and I shall have the pleasure of forwarding a copy to you as soon as it is published.

Yours very faithfully,

Hector Alliot

Curator,

To Mr. Henry Russell Downe,
Sec., Am. Numismatic Soc.

Annual Proceedings & Cat Library

The Vestry,
Saint Bartholomew the Great,
West Smithfield, E.C.

January 14th 1888

THE RESTORATION
OF THE
Norman Priory Church of S. Bartholomew the Great.

Dear Sir,

as the american people interest themselves so much in the archeology of England and seeing your name as a member of an American archeological Society, may I call your attention to the Enclosed papers concerning this ancient and most

interesting Priory Church; the oldest in London?

You will see that we have done much; but there is more to do.

Of the secular encroachments which have existed since the dissolution of the Priory by Henry VIII; the School in the triforium, and the blacksmith's forge in the North transept still remain.

I feel sure you will sympathise with my

wish to preserve so fine and pure an example of Norman architecture.

These encroachments besides being a desecration constitute a great risk from fire by which so much of the original building has already been destroyed.

If you have not seen the Church, and should you by chance be in Europe

this year; I can assure you that I should have much pleasure in showing it to you.

Yours very truly

B. Savory

Rector.

ET FORTIS ET FIDELIS

Greenfield, Jan 15 1888,

Mr. H. Mellen Fiske,

My Dear Sir,

Distance from the city will prevent my attending the meeting of the Society, but I would like through you, to call the attention of the Society to the death of Mr. Williams

surgeon Sullivan, who was at one time well known to some of us.

Hoping I have not given you too much trouble

I remain, very respectfully

Your

[illegible]

Chas. Pryer

Request

Jan 15 1888

OFFICE OF
DAVID L. WALTER,
COUNSELOR AT LAW
320 BROADWAY,

NEW YORK. January 16 1888.

Lyman A. Cox. Esq.
1176 Sir.

It will be impossible for me to attend the Meeting of Soc'ty to-morrow Evening.

Please hand in for resident membership name of
Charles Gregory 5 Montague Terrace Bklyn
proposed by D. W. Scott

Truly Yours
D. L. Walter

Charles Gregory

Proposition for Resident Membership

Elected Jany 17 - 1888

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JAMES L. WARD, ARCHITECT
MERCHANTS' EXCHANGE
Nos. 41 43 and 45 BROADWAY
NEW YORK.

New York Mr. 14th 1887

Mr. H. Russell Drowne
Secy.

Dear Sir -

I herewith tender my resignation as a member of the American Numismatic and Archaeological Society of New York -

I regret so doing, as, when joining, I expected to be able to attend the meetings but finding this not to be the case - I think it best to resign -

Wishing your society abundant success I remain

Yours very truly
James L. Ward

James E. Ware

Resignation

Nov. 24. 1879

Accepted Jan 17. 1880

Office of F. D. Blake & Co.,

53 and 55 Worth Street,

P. O. BOX 581,

Dictated

New York, January 30th, 1888

American Numismatic and Archaeological Society,

Room 25. N. Y. University Building,

Gentlemen:-

I do not quite understand the privileges which I have as a member of the above society. I refer now to the meeting of Thursday, January 26th, 1888. Are these meetings only open to members, or have I any privilege as to bringing friends.

Kindly answer, and oblige,

Yours respectfully,

F. D. Blake,

per X.

Answered
F. D. Blake

H. D. Blake
Jany 20 - 1888
Query

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Jan 23 1891

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Curtis P. Gately.

New York.
Jan 28/88

Mr. H. R. Drowne Secty

Dear Sir

I have rec'd advising me of my election as member of the Am. Numis. & Arch. So. for which please accept my thanks.

The copies of the Constitution & annual proceedings you refer to as having sent me by mail have not arrived yet

Yours truly
Chas. Gregory
5 Montague Terrace
Brooklyn N.Y.

Marcel Gregory

Acceptance of

Election

Jany 28 - 1878

JAMES L. WARD, Agent,
Nos. 41, 43 AND 45 BROADWAY,
NEW YORK.

New York, Feby 6th 1888

Mr. Benjamin Betts, treasurer.

Dear Sir -

Have just received bill for dues for the year (Nov 14/87 Nov. 14/88) for A. N. & A. society -

I sent in resignation to your society before the end of last year on or about Nov. 14th/87 - This resignation having been accepted in due form I dont see how I am liable for dues for this year -

Yours very truly

Jas E. Ward

Jas E Mac

Oct 8 - 1888

H. L. HORTON & CO.,
STOCK BROKERS,
Nos. 54 & 56 BROADWAY.

P. O. Box No. 243.

NEW YORK,
February 6th 1888.

MAILED ..... P. M.

American Numismatic & Archaeological Society - Gentlemen

Will you please accept my resignation as a member of ~~this~~ the Society. I live at Stillwater Island & have other too.

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[illegible]

Feb 7 1888

J. Frank Emmons

Resignation

Feb - 6 - 1888

Accepted March 15 - 1888

Office of
Waterbury Brass Company,
296 Broadway,
P. O. Box 130.

New York, Feby 7 1888

Mr Benj Betts. Treas.

Dear Sir

Enclosed please find $5. to pay my dues to A. N. & A. S for last year. I will thank you to hand in, this, my resignation as a member, for the reason, that, as I live out of town I cannot avail myself of my privileges of the Society, and my further connection with it is of no use whatever.

Yours Truly
John Thomas

John Sherman
Resignation

Feb 7 - 1888

Accepted Feb 5 - 1888

Chinese Revenue Cruiser "Kau Pau"
Kowloon Customs
Hong Kong China.

2. 11. 88.

The Secretary
of the
American Numismatic & Archaeological Society
N. Y. University Building
Washington Square. N.Y.

Dear Sir,

Some of Oct. 17. 1887, I have just received, as I have been away on 15 months leave to Europe otherwise I would have replied at once. In reply I may state that I feel highly honoured by your Executive Committee's kindness in electing me as a Permanent Corresponding Member.

Some two years ago I was informed that I was to get a Certificate on

some such token of membership, but so far nothing has reached me, tho' it has not miscarried.

At present I am stationed in the South of China but next year I hope to go north.

With best regards from

Yours sincerely,

J. Kirkwood

J. Kirkwood
China

Acceptance
as
Permanent Corres Memb

Feb 11 - 1888

Flushing Feb. 10/87

Dear Sir: Inclosed is a letter for the President of the N.Y.R. Soc., showing that I do not take the chair; but I have inclosed the address, in case you feel disposed to trouble yourself with it.

I do not see in any of the papers when the meetings are held.

Yours truly, Bradford Rhodes

J. Russell Drowne Esq.
Sec.

L. Bradford Prince

Acceptance

of Election

Feby 10 - 1899

38. W. 34th Street

[illegible] 23rd 1888

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[illegible] Lincoln Park

[illegible] for [illegible]

June 1888, and [illegible]

leave of the same time

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[illegible] society as [illegible]

[illegible]

after that date

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V. A. Caldwell

Resignation

2/23/88

Accepted May 15 - 1888

GROLIER CLUB

64 MADISON AVENUE.

Sir:

The curator, Mr. Collins, has handed me your note with reference to the future quarters of the Club.

At the annual meeting a resolution was passed authorising the committee to lease outlined quarters in a specially constructed building to be occupied by the Grolier and other clubs and so designed as to admit of independent occupation and yet

The manner of apartment houses.

The general project is to provide rooms about 18 x 23 feet at $40 a year each. Four of these would be about the quite small number. The four lot any at this rate or any $150 for the set of four.

If you wish have after once to pass a resolution setting forth first: that you are desirous of securing "suitable" quarters in a specially constructed club building and second that you would pay a specified sum for "suitable" quarters

I can do much good with the resolution on receipt of an attested copy. The main purpose of which is to supply ~~proofs~~ evidence of the existing positive demand for such a building.

The resolution I take the liberty of enclosing shows these facts quite conclusive & as far as you are concerned while it does not commit your society in any other respect. It is composed mainly on the theory that the best way

to get what one
wants is to know
what is wanted.
Please let know
to remain

Yours very truly,
Chas. A. Plumer
Chairman
House Committee

Feb. 24th 94.

Office 24 1894

Postmaster Willet.
Please Report
Yours

FORM OF NOMINATION.

Name in full H. V. Mansfeld-Büllner

Residence Copenhagen Denmark

Proposed as a 2 Yr. Corres- Member of the American Numismatic and Archæological Society, by

(*Signed*) H. Rasch Dr. med.

Member.

Dated 14 *of* Feby 18 88

All communications of this character to be addressed to the "Executive Committee of the American Numismatic and Archæological Society," Mott Memorial Hall, 64 Madison Avenue, New York.

H. W. Mansfield-Buttner

Proposition

2 Apr Corr-Member

Elected Nov 5/18

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Gohoctoy, N. Y., 3/ 10 1884

F. Mason Crowning - Esq -
Dear Sir

Yours 27 ult.
Will you kindly in-
form me what con-
stitutes a "Resident"
member in the A. M. M. S.
I remain yours very
truly and obligd

Respectfully
J. P. Harris -

Benjamin Betts
Treasurer –

March 20 – 1888

THE ART AGE. ARTHUR B. TURNURE EDITOR
74 WEST 23D STREET NEW YORK
Telephone call 772 21st Street

Dear Sir:-

I have to acknowleuge the receipt of your letter of March 21st, containing a copy of the resolution adopted by your society and thank you for it, as I shall be able to put it to good use.

Y'rs very f'f'y,

Arthur B. Turnure

March 30th, 1888.

To Mr. H. Russell Drowne.

Arthur B. Turnure
Frolics Club.

Response

Mch 26-1888

Galveston Bone Mills

BAUGH & SONS COMPANY.

Manufacturers of
Baugh's Pure Bone Meal.

Without Notice Unless Otherwise

Galveston, Texas, 6th Mo 4th 1888

Reply to yours dated

H. Russell Drowne.

Sectry. Ann. Mtgs & Arch'l So

Dr Sir.

We desire the Annual Proceedings for our own private collection should there be any charge for copy be pleased to advise us

Yours &c

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H. H. Geyer
Education Texas

Request for Proceedings
Apl 6 - 1887

THE ART AGE. ARTHUR B. TURNURE EDITOR
74 WEST 23D STREET NEW YORK
Telephone call 772 21st Street

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We have to invite your attention to the art calendar of the Art Age (proof enclosed.) These lists will be kept accurately, our information being obtained as a rule directly from secretaries. Will you not kindly send us your dates of meetings and subjects, exhibitions, catalogues, announcements, lectures, exhibitions, sales, [illegible] lists as far as they have been published, and let me know whether you [illegible] [illegible] information in the future.

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Arthur B. Turnure

Arthur B. Turnure
The Art Age

Query

April 21 – 1888

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May 1.

Please change my address on A. W. & Acy Books, to the above No. & oblige

Yr D. B. Wyckoff

D. B. Wyckoff

Change of address

May 1 - 1888

Secretary,
Am Numismatic + Archaeological Soc.
Room-20
University Building
Washington Sq
NY

NEW YORK
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NEW YORK
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ROBERT C. ALEXANDER,
ATTORNEY & COUNSELOR AT LAW,
501 FIFTH AVENUE,
NEW YORK.

May 2, 1888

Secretary
Am. Numismatic & Arch. Soc

Dear Sir,

Please send all notices hereafter to my office address, 501 Fifth Avenue, instead of to 147 West 10th St.

I have not yet received my medal, although I have been a member for several months. Can it not be sent me?

Very truly Yours
R. C. Alexander

Corrected

Robert C. Alexander

Change of Address

May 2nd 88

New York, 188

To American Numismatic and Archæological Society, Dr.

For Life Membership Fee,

" Initation Fee,

" Dues from 188 to 188 5.00

" Certificate of Membership, (if desired,) $2.00

" Membership Medal, (if desired,) *Silver*, $5.00, *Bronze*, $3.00

Received Payment, 188

Treasurer.

☞ Please forward the amount of this Bill at your earliest convenience to BENJAMIN BETTS, Treasurer, 35 Broadway, N. Y

L. F. Drake

Resignation as
a Resident Member

May 5th - 1897

Accepted Feb 5 - 1898

American Numismatic and Archæological Society.

N. Y. UNIVERSITY BUILDING,

Washington Square, N. Y.

New York, May 10th 1888

Daniel Parish Jr.
Pres. Am. Num. & Arch. Soc.

Dr. Sir

When in Feb 1887 I was re-elected to the office of Treas. I accepted with the understanding that I should be free to resign whenever I felt that I could no longer serve the Society acceptably in that capacity.

The time has now arrived for me to put my resignation of said said office in your hands to take effect as soon as I can put the Books of the Society in shape to hand over to my successor. My recent illness has left me in such a weak and demoralized condition that I fear I will not be able to do this for some time. For

will notify you as soon as I can accomplish this purpose).

My time has been so fully occupied during the past two years, that I have been unable to perform the duties of my position to my own satisfaction and I therefore feel as though it would be folly to continue longer only to feel that my work is drifting more and more in arrears.

Below I hand the names of some delinquent members with the amounts due the Society. Will try and come to the meeting to-morrow evening if possible

Yrs truly
Benj: I Betts Jr.

Secretary 11-1888

Benj: Betts
Treasurer

Pennington

Elizabeth N.J. Jan 11 1888

Exec. Committee

Historical Genealogical & Arch. Society

New York

Dear Sirs

I have to present the name of Mr William L. Stone of 537 Bergen Ave. Jersey City N.J. as a corresponding member of the Society

Mr Stone is a collector of Indian relics of which he has a very large and varied collection, he is the Secretary of the Saratoga Monument Association and author of a number of works on Revolutionary history and will no doubt be a valuable addition to the society.

Very truly

Edward L. Fuller

William [illegible]

Application for

[illegible]

May 24, 1888

[illegible]

Brooklyn
May 15. 1888

My dear Mr Lowell

I am not a
member of the professional
reform society. I resigned
two or three years
ago. Did you not
get my letter?

I cannot
attend meetings
out of Brooklyn or
have been relieved
to [illegible]

Truly yours

Chas. E. West

Resignation

May 15 - 1888

Accepted May 24/88

THE ART AGE. ARTHUR B. TURNURE EDITOR
74 WEST 23D STREET NEW YORK
Telephone call 772 21st Street

Dear Sir:-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of May 18th. I would like to have all the information you can give me covering the work of this year, that is to say, from the 1st of January, and in the future would be most obliged to you if you will send me notices of meetings which you kindly promise to do.

Y'rs very f'f'y,

Arthur B. Turnure.

May 19th, 1898.

To Mr. H. Russell Drown.

Arthur B. Turnure

Reply

May 19-1888

FRANK W. DOUGHTY,
JOURNALIST,
341 HOYT STREET.

Brooklyn, May 14 1888

Mr. H. Russell Drake,
My dear Sir:

Your favor of the 11th enclosing "Abstract of Minutes" was duly received. They shall be published in the Coin Collectors' Journal in full.

Please accept my thanks for your courtesy and believe me

Yours faithfully

Frank W. Doughty

R. W. Doughty

Acknowledgment.

May 19 - 1888 -

American Numismatic and Archæological Society.

N. Y. UNIVERSITY BUILDING,

Washington Square, N. Y.

New York, Mar. 20th 1888.

W. R. Towne Esq.

Dear Sir.

Yours of 19th was duly received but as I was obliged to go to Baltimore on Friday, I could not answer till to-day. I have noted all the contents - and made the corresponding entries -

I have address of Col. A. J. Dickinson as it was given originally 346 or 348 Broadway but have since had from some source "P. O. Box 592" N. Y. City which is probably correct.

I am getting along but slowly with excitement ... up. ... line &c. ... & can find ... 1. ... 5.00 ... 22.50 ... at that rate.

Yours Very. T. to

Benjamin Betts

Pepley —

May 20 - 1888

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G. A. Chrystie   T. H. Janney

Chrystie & Janney,
Bankers.

No. 6 Wall Street, ~~Nos. 23 & 25 Nassau St.~~

New York, May 1? 1888

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[illegible] been unable to [illegible] your society since I joined and do not see that I shall be in a better position to do so next year. I beg [illegible] accept [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

Respectfully yours
John G. Dannowiski[?]

To Benjamin Potts[?], Esq. [illegible]

[illegible]

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Presentation

[illegible] May 24 1888

TELEPHONE, SPRING 66.

NEW YORK, 5/21 1888

M. Am. Numismatic & Arch. Soc'y

TO W. N. JENNINGS, DR.

STATIONERY,

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1888
W. N. JENNINGS
STATIONER

No person is authorized to collect this bill without an order signed by me.

1/11. W. Jennings
Bill 5/21/88

$2.85
— PAID.

By [illegible]

Quincy Ill, May 17th

H. Russell Stone Esq.

Very dear Sir,

I have pleasure in acknowl. of your publications received yesterday. One of my children has a [illegible] disease of the Thoracic Pneumogastric & Abdominal viscera.

In this case, which I regard as a rare form of the hydrocephalic brain complicated with [illegible]

Wm. L. Stone
Accepting Election
2 Yr. Corres. Memb.

May 29 - 1888

Newark N. J.,
May 29. 1888.

Henry Russell Drowne, Esq.,
Secty, Soci. Ameri. Numis et Archaeol.,

Dear Sir:

Yours of the 26th inst received, notifying me of my election (by the Executive Committee) to the office of Treasurer, to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Mr. Betts.

I appreciate the confidence expressed in the action of the Committee, and it would ill befit me to fail in giving it

due weight in determining the question of my acceptance.

Had I been consulted in the matter, I should have declined the honor.

Were the duties of the office less onerous, I should hesitate seriously before refusing.

It is with sincere regret that I feel compelled to say that I cannot, consistently with my regard for the Society and my duties to my family and business, accept the office conferred upon me.

Yours truly

Wm. R. Weeks.

Wm. R. Weeks

Declining Treasurership

May 29 - 1888

Meiningen d. 2. Juni
1888

Hochverehrter Herr!

Verzeihen Sie gütigst, wenn ich
Ihnen erst jetzt auf Ihr freund-
liches Schreiben vom 10. Mai
antworte; die Beförderung der
an mich gerichteten Briefe
hat durch wiederholte Reisen
mehrfache Verzögerungen er-
fahren. Ich nehme natürlich
die Ernennung zum stehenden
Mitglied der amerikanischen

numismatisch-archaeologischen Gesellschaft mit Dank an und bitte Sie, der Gesellschaft meinen ergebensten Dank zu vermitteln.

Ich bin mit ausgezeichneter Hochachtung

Ihr ergebenster

Dr. Ferdinand Dümmler

Dr Ferdinand Düemuler
Meiningen Germany

Acceptance
Perm. Corres. Mem.

June 2 - 1889

June 3rd 1888
31 Wolf Street St
Pittsburgh

[illegible]

According to the [illegible]
[illegible] & [illegible] legal [illegible]

Dear Sir

Please do not send
[illegible] pamphlet
of the [illegible]
your agent as I have never in
[illegible] to State
[illegible]
and we have sold our house
in Irving Place, and [illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible] to
you about it.
Very truly
Rachel [illegible]
formerly, 67 Irving Place [illegible]

The Baddington
Change Library

WILLIAM R. WEEKS,
COUNSELLOR AT LAW
750 BROAD STREET.

Newark, N. J. June 7th 1888.

Henry Russell Drowne, Esq.,

Dear Sir:

I do not wish to be understood nor do I intend to shirk responsibility or duty as a member of the society, therefore I will not now say no to the appointment as a member of the auditing committee to examine the Treasurer's books.

But I must say this much, that if, when the books are ready, I am too busy to examine them, I may have then to ask to be excused from serving.

The Treasurer elect should be added to the committee.

Yours truly
Wm. R. Weeks.

Wm. P. Wiles

Auditing Counter
Pefly -

June 7 - 1888

American Numismatic & Archæological
Society
New York City —

Gentlemen
To what address shall
I send my last publication
on the Cabbalah.
Very truly
July 31. 1888.

Isaac Myer
No 209 So 6th St
Philadelphia
Pa.

Mr. Isaac Myer
The Present address.

Isaac Meyer
Phila Pa —

Lancy —

July 31 - 1816

Philadelphia
Aug. 20th 1861

C. Russell Krauss Esq.
Secy of the
American Numismatic & Archæological
Society
New York City.

Dear Sir

I am just in receipt of your very kind favor of the 10th of July 1861, informing me that at the Annual Meeting of the American Numismatic and Archæological Society, held March 20, 1861, on the nomination of the Council Committee, I was unanimously elected a Permanent Corresponding Member of your learned society — in the name of the society I beg to express my thanks for the honor that it has conferred upon me — and I accept the same with great pleasure.

Allow me to remain
July 31. 1861. Yours very truly
J. Sanderson

Isaac Meyer
Phila Pa

Acceptance
Perm-Cancer-Mamb

July 31-1888

Clyde's Coastwise West India and Florida Steam Lines

WM. CLYDE & CO.

Pier Fulton St. Pier Wall St. Pier Franklin St. Pier Warren St.

P.O. Box 1342

New York, Sept. 27th 1888.

To R. [illegible] Esq.,

Sec. U. W. Ry. Co. of S.

Dear Sir

I endose receipted bill of J. K. Marvin & Son for printing the Society proceedings, amty to the sum of One hundred and forty five Dollars; if they have come to hand, and the bill is all right, please endorse it, and return it to me, and [illegible] they will make a reduction of $10.00

Trusting to hear from you soon, I remain, Yrs truly,

Benj. Betts

35 Broadway.

Recd

Benj. Betts

Surg

Sept 27. 1864

Turlis A.O. 4.10.88

Mr Drane

Dear Sir

I see you have letters to me on yr
List of Members

I am A.M. Columba College
Dear Sir Please add that
to my name & oblige

Yrs Truly

[illegible]

Dr Ferdinand Dummler

Meiningen Germany

J. W. de Peyster

Request

Oct 4 - 1768

No 2 East Eighteenth Street
Friday October 20th 1888.

Henry R Drowne Esq
Dear Sir

Many thanks for yours of the 18th from Meeskes enclosing the proof from Darwin which I send to him to day. I will let you know later about the address of 1888. Please call a meeting Executive Committee for Tuesday November 13th. It will do no harm if harm to meet after an interval even if there is nothing much to attend to. Please let Walker know about this so that he will not call a summonatic meeting to interfere.

Yours sincerely
Daniel Parish Jr

D. Parish Jr Esq

Oct 28th 1883

John Bloodgood & Co.
Dills Building.

John Bloodgood.
John D. Slayback.

New York Oct 29 1888

Mr H. R. Downes Secty

Yours letter at hand and would say that I have sent resignation respectfully to the Elm M. & L. Society will you please kindly take action.

Yours Respty

John Bloodgood
M.D.

John B. Bloodgood
Rifle

Oct 29 - 1858

WILKES-BARRE, PA., Oct 29 1881

Dear Sir

Received

This million idea may should be
necessarily written, and as all our
publications are in very limited num
ber the only way to spread a knowledge
of them is by efficient publication of abstracts
annually in the usual reports
I beg to submit this suggestion upon
publication Committee. Above 22 titles on
[illegible] to be connected with
the Am: Num: which have
Very respy Yrs

Oct 29-1888

H. Edwards Griffin

American Numismatic and Archaeological Society.

N. Y. UNIVERSITY BUILDING,

Washington Square, N. Y.

New York, Oct 29th 1888

H. K. Brown Esq.

Your several favors to hand I found that none of the delinquents had paid up consequently sent the letters in mail as requested.

Please let me know to whom order in morning mail was made. I have not presented it for payment as it is required to be properly endorsed.

I enclose check for $20. to pay bills sent me for settlement. Will try to bring them all to line next Court Mtg. as some time passed. Trusting you will excuse the delay in sending it I am

Yrs. truly

Secy. A. N. S.

Ans

Bingh. Univ.
Hamilton

Col. Sp. Coll.

auf

FORM OF NOMINATION.

Name in full. W. G. Jerremes Jr

Residence 38 Aldine Sq. Chicago Ill.

Proposed as a Resident Member of the American Numismatic and Archæological Society, by

(*Signed*) Lyman H. Low per H.H.D.

Member.

Dated 24 of October 1888

All communications of this character to be addressed to the "Executive Committee of the American Numismatic and Archæological Society," Mott Memorial Hall, 64 Madison Avenue, New York.

W. E. Ferrance Jr

Application for

President of Anchorville

Charter [illegible]

[illegible]

New York
[illegible] 1[illegible]

Mr President & gentlemen:

I have pleasure in [illegible] the following [illegible] to the Society [illegible] of [illegible] medal

[illegible] 1 [illegible]
1 Banner card of Hall & Co Buffalo with [illegible] photograph [illegible]

[illegible] 1 [illegible] medal

[illegible] Medals commemorating the [illegible] of Allegheny County [illegible]

[illegible] 1 [illegible] piece of [illegible]

H. T. Sewell 1 New York token of the Columbia [illegible] from the original die.

J. L. Boucher 1 Medal in white metal commemorative of the [illegible] anniversary of the founding of the Hundred Dominate Society

Charles [illegible] 1 medallic banner card [illegible] the [illegible]

Respectfully submitted

Thos H Wright
Cur.

Curators Report
Nov 20 1888

Curators Report

Nov 20 1888

H.V. Mansfied-Büllner, Nov. 22, 1887.
See 1887 for original.
Index incorrectly places it here, in 1888.

Answered by request by S. Gallay

H. V. Mansfeld - Büllner.
Chevalier de l'Ordre l'Etoile de Roumanie
et de l'Ordre de Henri-le-Lion.
Copenhague.

Copenhagen, Novb. 22d 87.

To
American numismatic and archaeological
Society.
New York.

Dear Sirs: —

Acquainted with that your society are working for numismatic objects, I make myself an pleasure of sending you as present to your library my newly published work: "Afbildninger af samtlige nidtil kjendte Danske Mönter fra Tidsrummet 1241–1377" — as an expression of my collegiate sympathy.

How far the from me drawed coins are to be find in American collections are me unknown, but I should be glad to receive your information in this direction, and if not in case there beyond the Atlan

Boston, Mass.
30th Nov 1888.

Neil Parish Jr Esq
Pres't Am. Numismatic Soc.
New York.

Dear Sir:

When I joined your society, some time ago, I hoped to be in New York during at least a portion of the time when meetings were held, but I find now that there is little prospect of it. I have always been

interested in Numismatics and have some rare coins, which I hoped, to show the Society, and also, to see such as it has access to, but as there is little prospect of our coming together in the near future, I have concluded that it is best for me to retire from further membership of the Society, and I hereby resign my membership – but with the hope that sometime I may be permitted to enjoy the privileges in fact instead of

simply on paper.

Nothing from Swaen

Can —

Very truly yours

W. R. Lowe.

J. W. W. Dove

Transactions

1/28/69 [illegible]

THOMAS G. BROWN & SONS,

BROADWAY & SEVENTEENTH ST.
UNION SQUARE,
NEW YORK.

HALSEY AND MARSHALL STREETS,
NEWARK, N. J.

NEW YORK, Dec. 9 1887

Mr Benj Betts - Mas
Dear Sir

Kindly present to the proper officers of the Numismatic Society my resignation which I herewith offer. I find my time so continually occupied that I cannot avail myself of any of the advantages of the organization which I had hoped to do

Very truly
T G Brown

T. B. Brown

Resignation

Dec 9-1887

Accepted Mch 5-188

LAKESIDE BUILDING.

Chicago. Dec. 12. 1888

Colonel Owen Esq., Secy

Dear Sir.

I with pleasure accept the membership in the Society.

I will remit amt of fees and dues as soon as notified

Yours very truly

Nathan Jerome Jr

W. G. Ferrens Jr.
Chicago Ill.

Acceptance
Resident Member

Dec. 12-1888

NEWPORT SANITARY PROTECTION ASSOCIATION.

~~45 BELLEVUE AVENUE~~ Franklin & Spring Sts.

Newport R. I. 15 Dec. 1888

Dear Sir,

I gratefully acknowledge the honor received from the Am. Num. & Arch. Soc., by its election as honorary Corresponding Member. I only regret that I am not able to frequently refer to its catalogue & consult its library.

Wishing for you, Sir, & your colleagues, all the rapturous joys to approaching festival typifies,

I am yours sincerely

Walter R. Stokes

H. Russell Drowne Esq.
Sec'y Am. Num. & Arch. Society.

Horatio R. Flower

Acceptance

Pay-Dr [illegible]

Dec 15-1888

Saxonnet-
E. Compton R. I.
12-20-1888-

Mr Henry R. Drowne Secty.

My Dr Sir:

Your recent favor, informing of the action of your Society in honoring myself by selection as Corresponding member duly received. Please thank the gentlemen associated w/ I also extend to them and yourself very cordially the compliments of the season

With great regard I remain

Yours very truly

G. K. Brown

Geo. P. Drown

Accepted

~~Acknowledgment~~

Election 2 yr Coun. Mem.

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1 - 20 - 1888

GIBETHUSETTS

[illegible] 1888

[illegible]

[illegible] Minutes attached [illegible]

Dear Sir

I have written Mr Robert Smith. Neenah. Wis. that you would forward him a Copy of our Annual Proceedings for 1887.

Please note in your address book the following which I have marked to [illegible]. Annual Proceedings 1883 [illegible] 1885-1886 also Cons [illegible]

[illegible]

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Mrs. Wheeler
Kopmeyer
Nov. 17. 1925

Names of members secured thro the first 2000 Circulars—

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10	E L Tremain	10
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12	S M Schafer	10
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22	Wm Nelson	10
23	B L Belden	10
24	Cruikshank	10
25	Seligman	10
26	Hartshorn	50
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Mr. Pillsbury
Minutes of Council of Numismatics
1888